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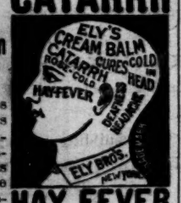

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Brick Trust and Labor Leaders Fined.

The so-called "brick trust" of Chicago made a complete surrender to State's Attorney Healy in court in Chicago yesterday and a number of its officials and several labor union officers were fined an aggregate of $18,000. The company and its officers, together with two labor leaders, were indicted for conspiracy to do an illegal act to prevent competition and to restrict the production and sale of brick in the Chicago market.

The indictments were procured at the instance of a number of small dealers, who complained to the grand jury that they were unable to secure supplies unless they complied with the terms and all demands of the combination of brickmakers which practically controlled the output of brick in Chicago and vicinity.

As soon as the cases were called in court yesterday the attorneys for the defense announced that William H. Weckler, general superintendent of the Illinois Brick Company, had decided to turn state's evidence, and it was desired that the punishment to be inflicted on the other nine defendants should be remitted in his case. State's Attorney Healy declared that he was willing that this action should be taken in Mr. Weckler's case, and the attorneys then entered pleas of guilty for all the other defendants. The court assessed fines of $2,000 in each case. The amount was paid at once by the attorneys and the defendants were dismissed.

The charge against the labor leaders included with the officials of the brick combine in the indictment was that they called strikes on buildings where the contractors used brick purchased from others than those in the combination. In cases where these strikes were called, it was stated by the State's Attorney, the contractors were compelled to pay their men for all the time they were on strike under penalty of having their supplies cut off by the combination or having a second strike called.

The Chinese Boycott.

Advices received at San Francisco from the Orient by the steamer Korea indicate that there has been no abatement of the Chinese boycott on American goods. It is rumored that at Hongkong there are 750,000 unsold cases of coal oil and that 500,000 cases cannot find a purchaser at Canton. This trade animosity, it is alleged, has developed into a bitter hostility not only on American products, but also against people from the United States. In the leading cities of China it is said store windows bear signs reading "No American Goods Sold Here." This boycott is declared to be carried out to the letter. It is said that the goods which have principally come under the ban are oils, tobacco, sewing machines and flour. Representatives of some of the firms most directly interested recently met with officers of various guilds at Canton, and were informed that the boycott would continue until satisfactory assurances were received that American restrictions regarding the landing of Chinese merchants and students would be removed. It is asserted that the flour industry of the Pacific coast is suffering most from the boycott, as shipments to the far East have recently decreased. In consequence the millers of Australia and Canada are said to be profiting.

Imprisoned in Tunnel.

Two Hungarian watchmen are imprisoned under sixty feet of earth in the Long Island City end of the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel under the East river, New York, while an emergency force is driving a shaft in an attempt to effect their rescue before they shall have been starved to death or possibly drowned or suffocated.

The men were caught in a cave-in in the working shaft of the tunnel. At intervals through yesterday and last night the imprisoned workmen signaled the watchers by rapping on pipes running to the surface, the signals redoubling the efforts being made at rescue.

It was reported about the tunnel shaft last night that twelve men had been imprisoned, but this was denied by the contractors in charge of the work. The slide broke a water-main and split gas lines, preventing immediate work of rescue, and flooding the tunnel mouth. When the water pipe was plugged and the gas shut off, men started digging, but the water plug did not hold, and it was decided to sink another shaft.

Water is being kept down by pumps. Fresh air is also being supplied the workmen, and it is said they have probably taken refuge on some ledge and will be taken our safely if reached within twenty-four hours.

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Tapestry Couch Covers	from $1.50 to	$5.00
Hearth Size Rugs	from $1.45 to	$5.00
Parlor Lamps (Hand Painted)	from $4.00 to	$8.00
Jardinieres with Pedestal	from $5.00 to	$15.00
Umbrella Jars	from $1.75 to	$3.50
French Plate Mirrors, Gold Framed	from $1.25 to	$15.00
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TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 19, 1905.

JUDGE G. T. GARNETT, of Mathews county, appointed to sit in the annexation cases, rendered his decision yesterday in the case of the city of Richmond against Henrico county. The case involves the annexation of the town of Fairmont, in Henrico, and parts of the county thickly settled but not under any charter. The demurrers to the new annexation law are overruled, and Judge Garnett declares the law sound constitutionally. The question of annexation will, sooner or later, disturb the waters hereabouts, in consequence of the prevailing conditions on the confines of Alexandria. During recent years suburban places have sprung up north, south and west of this city. They are virtually parts of Alexandria, and when disorders disturb such places the residents look to the officials of this place for aid. Suggestions have at different times been made to extend the boundaries of Alexandria, but, so far, no serious movement has been made toward accomplishing that purpose. It is thought by many that the time has come when the issue should be brought before the proper tribunal and the matter settled one way or the other. That the boundaries of the city of Alexandria should embrace the northern shore of Hunting creek is evident, as the streets of the city extend to that tributary. That locality is under the jurisdiction of Fairfax county, but its officials are never seen thereabouts, and should any disorder occur or crime be committed the Alexandria authorities would be compelled to act. On the southwest a small town has arisen in recent years as the outgrowth of Alexandria. It is in fact a part of this city, being an extension of the city's streets; yet this forms a part of the confines of Fairfax county. On the west Duke street has been extended a mile, forming what is known as West End, an unchartered place, which never would have taken its rise had it not been for Alexandria. On the north, binding on this city several unchartered towns have sprung up in recent years, all of which are but continuations of Alexandria. Mr. Wm. H. May, when a member of the House of Delegates, started a movement looking to the expansion of this city. He suggested that its bounds be extended to Four-mile run on the north, Hunting creek on the south and the Toll-gate on the west. This plan would take in all the places referred to above. Alexandria is now the only city in Virginia which has no railroad depot within its jurisdiction. The erection of a new union station without the city will naturally cause Alexandria to build to it; hence now is the time for this city to make a movement toward claiming that which, it is believed, legally belongs to it.

THE HAZING at the naval academy has aroused general indignation in Congress and both branches of that body now seem disposed to put a stop to it at any hazard. The debate in the House yesterday shows how determined some of the members are. During his speech Mr. Sims said:

I'm in favor of such legislation as is necessary to absolutely prevent the recurrence of hazing, however severe, even if it goes to the extent of wiping out the academy entirely. I am not willing to vote appropriations to educate men in a charity school to complete with Corbett, Fitzsimmons and Jeffries in the doings of the prize ring. I will vote willingly to wipe out the whole thing if we cannot run it or if it cannot be run as a Christian nation ought to run it.

BY A PLURALITY of about 8,000 ex-Congressman John F. Fitzgerald was elected Mayor of Boston last Tuesday. Watson, the municipal ownership man, received only 515 votes. This does not look much like the people of Boston need fear anything from the demagogic municipal ownership shouters.

THE New York papers announce that the insurance companies will not make the usual Christmas gifts to their employees this year. Well hardly. After the officers and grafters got "all that was coming to them" there was not enough left for Christmas presents for the "small fry."

THE war is nearly over. The statesmen of the North are not only defending State's rights, for which the South fought, but they are now talking of changing the color of the uniforms of the federal soldiers from blue to gray.

MR. ROOSEVELT began his revision of football rules at the end of the football season and quit his efforts (?) to revise the tariff laws at the beginning of the congressional session.. Strange!

Run on a Bank.

Bedford, Ind., Dec. 19.—The report received that the Chicago National Bank of which J. R. Walsh is president, had gone into liquidation, resulted in a run on the Bedford National here today. The Bedford National officers claim that that they have a total reserve of $343,000, and their deposits amount to $269,500 this morning.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.

The improbability of any reciprocity legislation being enacted by Congress before March 1st, and the manifest damage which will result to American trade by the enforcement of the new German tariff which, according to the present plan, will become effective on that date have led to efforts on the part of the administration to arrange a modus vivendi which will at least stay for a time the application of the new German duties to American imports. Steps have already been taken by the State Department in this direction. The German Ambassador and Secretary Root have canvassed the situation in preliminary discussion of an informal character and the attitude of each government is understood. The administration is able to promise nothing in the immediate future in the way of legislative concessions; the enforcement of the German tariffs, however, would eventually cause almost irreparable harm to our present trade with the empire, and it is believed that Congress will realize this in time to agree to the necessary reciprocity treaty without an object lesson of what a retaliatory measure by Germany would mean to our trade. In order to gain necessary time, Secretary Root will make every effort to postpone the application of the new rates by Germany from March 1st.

The administration bill for a reduction of the tariff on Philippine sugar and tobacco to 25 per cent. of the Dingley rates and to allow other island products to enter free of duty was ordered favorably reported by the House committee on ways and means today. Chairman Payne gave notice that he will call up the bill for consideration on January 4, the day Congress reassembles after the Christmas holidays. Two amendments were made to the bill, the important one putting American refined and raw sugar and tobacco going to the Philippines on the free list. The bill provides for free trade with the islands after July 1, 1909. A free trade amendment was offered in committee by Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, and voted down. He also offered a separate bill, as a substitute, aimed particularly at the German situation, "to establish a minimum tariff," which was voted down by a party vote.

What threatened to be a terrible catastrophe was averted by the prompt arrival of the fire department at the Reform School for boys early this morning. A fire broke out on the third floor of the building. At the time 270 boys were in bed. The cries of fire quickly aroused them and all so far as is known escaped from the burning building and took shelter in other buildings adjoining. The building was totally destroyed, entailing a loss of $20,000.

The House committee on interstate and foreign commerce decided to grant no more hearings on the proposed rate legislation and to begin consideration of the measures presented directly after the holidays.

The House committee on ways and means by a party vote today, agreed to report adversely the Sulzer resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for his views "on the advisability of withholding from the channels of trade the moneys lately on deposit with the New York banks and withdrawn by him" also his views on the stringency in the money market and how it can best be relieved.

The destruction of lightship No. 58 off Nantucket Shoals was officially considered by the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce today. Captains Lockwood and Sebree of the light house board were heard explaining the causes of the disaster, they ask for an appropriation of $100,000 to replace the destroyed ships.

Mr. Rixey has introduced in the House bills: To increase the pension of Wm. A. McDonald, of Culpeper county; for a pension for Elisha P. Maconaughey, of Fairfax county; for the survey of Accotink creek, Fairfax county, to show cost of dredging; for the relief of trustees of Cedar Grove Church, Culpeper county; for the relief of A. L. Lewis, R. B. Warren, A. J. Nalls, N. A. Kraft, James Sheridan, Charles Dearborn, Andrew Grady, F. H. Cleveland, Thomas Fletcher, Dan Fry and T. L. Weedon, all of Alexandria county, claiming balances due them for services during war with Spain and subsequently.

The report of the naturalization commission, appointed by the President, is made public today. The commission recommends a uniform certificate of naturalization and that there be established in the Department of Commerce and Labor a bureau having charge of all naturalization matters. It is recommended that no one shall hereafter be admitted to citizenship who does not intend to reside permanently in the United States and who does not know the English language. To prevent naturalization frauds for political purposes, the commission recommends that no naturolizations be conferred within thirty days next preceding a presidential or congressional election, and that a unifoam fee of at least seven dollars be charged.

The President sent to the Senate today the nomination of Joseph B. Stewart, of Richmond, Virginia, to be collector of customs at that port.

It is understood that the President has decided to ask for the resignation of U. S. District Attorney Irving F. Baxter, of the District of Nebraska, on account of dissatisfaction with his recent conduct of the cases involving the illegal fencing in of public lands

Representative Longworth, Miss Roosevelt, Minister Griscom, and wife, Mrs. Parsons, and Senators Newlands, and Warren, formed a luncheon party in the Senate restaurant today, after a visit to private gallery.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Dec. 19.

SENATE.

The exodus of Senators to their homes for the holiday recess was apparent when the Senate convened today.

A resolution introduced by Mr. Heyburn went to the table at his request. It called upon the Secretary of Agriculture for detailed information relative to forest reserves.

At 12:45 the doors were closed for the confirmation of nominations.

HOUSE.

In the House this morning Representative Grantley, of Georgia, a late arrival, was sworn in.

Representative Mann refused unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Interior to acquaint the House with the result of the experiments to ascertain what metals are contained in certain black sands. He put it on the ground of economy and a desire to cut down the government's printing bills.

In committee of the whole, the discussion as to the proper reference of the insurance recommendation of the President was resumed.

Mr. Richardson discussed the question of State and federal quarantine.

News of the Day.

It is suspected that Russia, Germany and France are supporting China in her resistance to the proposals made by Japan.

Miss Alice Roosevelt has joined a Monday morning dancing class. Men are debarred and fancy dances of all sorts are practised.

Gov. La Follette sent to the Wisconsin legislature today his resignation as Governor. The resignation is to take effect on the first Monday in January.

The U. S. Supreme Court yesterday sustained the validity of the Minnesota law holding railroad companies responsible for injuries due to carelessness of co-employees.

Mr. Balfour in a speech at Leeds yesterday announced that he was a free trader, but added that he saw no inconsistency in retaliatory duties and fiscal union of the colonies.

A Trans-Continental automobile, carrying Percy F. Megargee, of New York, and David F. Fassett, of Lansing, Mich., is lost in the deep snow in the mountains west of Flagstaff, Arizona.

The case of James R. Duke, the tobacco millionaire, who is suing his wife for divorce, came up in a Newark, N. J. court on a question of jurisdiction and went over until later in the week.

Edward Jorist, the Belgian, and three others, charged with participation in the attempt to assassinate the Sultan last July, were yesterday sentenced to death by the native court at Constantinople.

John Alexander Dowie, head of the Christian Catholic Church in Zion, has given up his rule and will soon leave for one of the islands of the Caribbean Sea, there to remain until spring in hopes of regaining health.

Though not relieved as military adviser to the Governor of Massachusetts, Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles sent to Governor Douglas yesterday his resignation as inspector general of the State militia on the staff of the commander-in-chief.

Mrs. Denia Ruchneiwich was instantly killed this morning by her husband in the street near her home, in Chicago. Ruchniweich then probably fatally shot himself The dead woman has been separated from her husband on account of his dissipated habits.

The Cuban House of Representatives held a regular session yesterday. The House passed unanimously, and without debate, an appropriation of $10,000 to assist the striking cigarmakers at Key West. The Havana provincial council appropriated $5,000, and the Havana city council $1,000, for the aid of the Key West strikers.

The body of Miss Etta R. Hines, the head nurse at the sanitarium of Dr. Lewis H. Gundry, at Relay, Md., who disappeared so mysteriously on the morning of December 2, was found yesterday afternoon in the Patapsco river. It is the general opinion of all of the residents near Relay that the young nurse committed suicide.

Information transmitted to the Spanish Admiralty confirms a report in circulation in Cadiz to the effect that the British Mediterranean, Atlantic, and Channel squadrons, comprising sixty warships, will concentrate in April near the Gulf of Cadiz, with a base at Lagos, for combined maneuvers. The presence of the British fleet near Morocco at about the time when the Moroccan conference closes is looked upon as a significant coincidence.

Midshipman R. Ralph Williams, of Paterson, N. J., who was recently dismissed from the Annapolis Military academy for repeated violations of the regulations, had a clash with the authorities yesterday and was escorted beyond the academy limits by a marine. He wished to visit the quarters to remove some of his property which, he stated, he had left. When permission was refused him he became rather emphatic, and Commander Colvocoresses, commandant of midshipmen, ordered his removal. He made quite a scene with the sergeant on duty at the main gate.

Six Oporto, Portugal, tourists while automobiling near there began racing. The chauffeurs not being familiar with the road plunged down a steep hill and over a precipice 100 feet into the river Douro. No trace has been seen of any members of the party.

"The burial of an ass" was the Biblical description that the Rev Charles M. Griffin, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of Asbury Park, last night applied to the burial of Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, convicted of land frauds against the government.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Whether the Senate is warranted in ignoring a Senator convicted in the courts on charges of misconduct and is not assigning him to places on standing committees, yet leaving his name on the Senate roll, was discussed for two hours yesterday by the Senate and then dropped without a ruling on the question, which had been raised by Mr. Bailey. Several Senate leaders took up the subject. On account of its delicacy, the debate naturally was not as open as would be necessary for a final determination of the question. On motion of Mr. Gallinger, the ship-subsidy bill was made the unfinished business, with the announcement that no effort will be made to push it forward for consideration until after the holiday recess.

Mr. Daniel argued that the Senate and the courts could not have conducted investigations or trials of Senators at the same time, and supported the Senate's procedure in following the English custom of waiting for final disposition by the courts of charges against members of the National Parliament or Congress.

For almost five hours the House listened to speeches on insurance, immigration, Russian outrages, and hazing at the Naval Academy. A short speech by Mr. Sims, of Tennessee, brought out the fact that the House is almost a unit in favor of legislation of such drastic character that hazing shall be forever stopped.

Mr. Fred Landis made his maiden speech, and in the discussion of the insurance question advanced the idea of federal control by denying companies the right to do business in the District and other Territories unless they submit to the most complete federal supervision and publicity. The canal emergency bill was sent to conference.

Mr. Rixey brought out a definition of hazing given the naval affairs committee by an officer of the Academy at the last session as "any command given a lower class man by an upper class man." He suggested that instead of levelling criticism against Congress, members should inveigh against the officers of the academy who allow these practices to go on.

Virginia News.

A local option election was held in Gordon district, Orange county, Saturday, in which there is one voting precinct, Locust Grove, which the wets carried by 40 majority.

J. T. McLaughlin, of Lynchburg, has been awarded the contract to renovate and restore his home of Patrick Henry in Charlotte county, which has been purchased by the two greatnieces, Mrs. Gracie Harrison and Mrs. James Lyons, of Richmond.

The Typographical Union, defendants in the injunction proceedings brought by a number of employing printers of Richmond, have been summoned to appear before the Court of Appeals on the first Monday in January, when a rehearing of the case will be gone into.

Dr. Joseph S. DeJarnette, of Rappahannock county, but who for many years has been assistant physician at the Western State Hospital, has announced himself as a candidate for the position of superintendent of that institution to succeed the late Dr. Benjamin Blackford.

The State of Virginia is now preparing to pay her semi-annual installment of interest due on the public debt, which is at present $25,537,820. Within the last year the debt has been reduced $1,313,000. The semi-annual interest, which is due in January, amounts to $419,400.

A Granovitch, an Atlanta jewler, whose wife eloped and was arrrested in Norfolk with Harry Titlebaum, has forgiven Mrs. Granovitch, and the couple last night announced that they have become reconciled, and will return home when the wife is released from jail, probably today.

Colonel Higgins, commanding the 71st Virginia regiment, returned to Norfolk yesterday from Washington, where he was assured at the office of the quartermaster-general that Virginia troops will be the first of the State volunteers to receive from the department the new drab regulation overcoats such as are now being supplied to the regular army.

Miss Eliza Read, an eccentric woman, who lived alone on the mountain three miles from Pocahontas, was found dead in her home Sunday night, apparently having been struck on the head with an axe or club. No clew has been found to the murderer. It is thought the object was robbery, as Miss Read had a good income from royalty on coal lands.

U. S. Commissioner Tavenner was assaulted in his office in Winchester yesterday by John E. Jenkins, a distiller, who has a brandy still in the county. Mr. Tavenner declares that Jenkins prefaced his attack upon the attorney by saying that he was going to kill him. Commissioner Tavenner says that he can give no reason for the man's assault.

The Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Virginia Lime Company, incorporated, Richmond, Va.; incorporators: W. E. Carson, president, Riverton, Va.; Warner Moore, secretary and treasurer, Richmond, Va. Capital stock, not less than $500, but may be increased from time to time, to $5,000. The object is to manufacture lime and cement, iron ores and other minerals.

According to reports from Hagerstown Baltimore and Washington there have been wholesale shipments of partridges and other contraband game from the Valley to points outside of Virginia this fall. The shipments are said to have come principally from Frederick, Shenandoah, Rockingham and Augusta counties, where the small number of game wardens has been unable to detect violations of the law.

James T. Lewis has been employed as counsel for A. L. Johnson, who is to be tried in Henrico county on Thursday on the charge of attempting to criminally assault Mrs. Maggie Chappell wife of William H. Chappell, Johnson declares he is not guilty of the charges. It is alleged, however, that he kissed Mrs. Chappell. It is also alleged, that she did not protest against his kissing her, and that the warrant for his arrest was sworn out by her husband after his little girl had told him she had seen Johnson kiss her mother.

Alleged Crimes of Oystermen.

The United States revenue cutter Windom returned to Baltimore from the oyster fields yesterday afternoon with what United States Marshal Laughammer considers the most important captures made during this season's crusade. As prisoners on board the Windom were Capt. T. Lewis, master of the bugeye Sadie F. Lewis, and Capt. Jackson Hall, master of the schooner Gracie Wallace, About the same time there was arrested at the establishment of Webster Brothers, shipping agents of Baltimore, Algie Hall, colored, who was mate of the Gracie Wallace. All three men were accused of brutal and cruel treatment of their crews, the eleven men comprising the crews of the two vessels being brought up on the Windom as witnesses. They include a number of foreigners, two from Philadelphia and some from other sections of the country. They tell the usual story and of and bloodthirsty treatment, and also a story of murder, the victim having been beaten into unconsciousness and then, coolly thrown overboard. Marshal Langhammer will not tell the name of the witness nor of the man who is said to have thrown the unfortunate sailor overboard. He has not yet been caught. The men now being held at witnesses say there was an altercation and then a fight between the man and the captain. The mate then took a hand, and beat the man frightfully, so that he finally became unconscious and was then thrown overboard.

The Virginia Senators.

The Virginia Senators fared as follows in the assignments of committees of the Senate, which were announced yesterday:

Appropriations, Daniel; finance, Daniel; commerce, Martin; Naval affairs, Martin; education and labor, Daniel; District of Columbia, Martin; claims, Martin; Indian depredations, Martin; revision of the laws of the United States, Daniel; transportation routes to the seaboard, Daniel; industrial expositions, Daniel; to investigate the conditions of the Potomac river-front at Washington, Martin; transportation and sale of meat products, Daniel, chairman; additional accommodations for the Library of Congress, Martin, chairman.

Another epidemic of smallpox is feared by the health authorities of Washington.

It was ascertained today that W. H. Morris, father of Howard Morris, in the Freehold jail, for complicity in the Naftal murder, at Asbury Park N. J., attempted to commit suicide at his home on Sunday.

Today's Telegraphic News

Conditions in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 19.—The arrest of leaders in the revolutionary movement continues. The announcement was made this morning that over 200 persons who have taken a prominent part in the movement are under arrest in this city and in Moscow.

The Czar is looking to the future. The Privy Councilor of the imperial household is on his way to London bearing an immense amount of gold coin and precious objects of enormous wealth belonging to the Czar which he will deposit in the Bank of England vaults.

The latest advices received here from points in the Baltic provinces show that the insurrection is still spreading, and it now extends over practically the entire district.

Berlin, Nov. 19.—Advices received here report that the Russian rebels in the Baltic provinces are perpetrating ghastly outrages against the German residents. After massacreing the Germans, it is said, they offer the mutilated corpses for sale to surviving relatives. It is estimated that 500 defenceless Germans have been slaughtered in cold blood. The Baltic rebels have proclaimed a number of small independent republics in different districts, similar to that of the Paris commune, but on a small scale.

Conditions in Shanghai.

Shanghai, Dec. 19.—The streets today have been filled with loafers and idlers. The shops opened this morning but the merchants are afraid of looting and strong guards are stationed everywhere. The British cruiser Diadem will land 500 men today to assist in preserving order, and the American warship Baltimore will land a similar force. German troops are also on their way from Kiang-Chau. The Chinese newspapers explain the recent disorders and rioting by saying the rowdy element propose to use a dispute in the mixed court as the opportunity for looting the settlement.

In response to appeals for assistance from Consul General Rodgers, at Shanghai, the cruiser Baltimore and the gunboat Villalobos arrived this morning at Woosung, the deep sea harbor of Shanghai. It is assumed that by this time a marine guard has been landed from the two vessels for the protection of Americans and other foreigners.

Tokio, Dec. 19.—The Japanese cruiser Tsushima and the gunboat Uji have been dispatched to Shanghai to assist in quelling the disturbance there.

Killed by Explosion.

New York, Dec. 19.—By the premature explosion of dynamite in an excavation on Thirty-fourth street, near Fifth avenue, early today, three men lost their lives and at least a dozen persons were injured. The excavation was being made for the new department store of B. Altman &. Co. Today when the workmen started to work, one of the men began to drill what he supposed was a partially completed drilling. No sooner had his drill been set in position than there was a terrific explosion that startled the whole neighborhood. Witnesses of the explosion say that the sight was a horrifying one. Men were thrown into the air and passersby were knocked from their feet. The bodies of the killed were horribly mutilated. The explosion was caused by the drill striking a forgotten charge of dynamite.

Incident Settled.

Paris, Dec. 19.—It is officially announced that at the meeting of the council of ministers today, Premier Rouvier made the statement that the Franco-Venezuelan incident has been settled in accordance with the wishes of France. President Castro has withdrawn the offensive note to which France objected, and in this way a settlement has been brought about.

Paris, Dec. 19.—The Sultan of Turkey has yielded definitely to the demands made by the powers for international control of Macedonian finances, which were reinforced by the recent naval demonstration against Turkish ports. This announcement was made today at the meeting of the council of Ministers by Premier Rouvier.

Albanian Rebellion.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—The Frankfurter Zeitung reports a serious Albanian rebellion in the western provinces of European Turkey. The first outbreak occurred in the town of Tetovo where the rebels repulsed 3,000 Turkish troops sent from Uskab to suppress the outbreak. All of the Turkish officials in the town were murdered. Reinforcements of troops with artillery succeeded in suppressing the outbreak whereupon the troops massacred all rebels found with arms. The Albanian tribe in Tiuma then rebelled to avenge the Titovo victims and the Albanians of Prisend and Krichevo are preparing to follow this example. The Albanians are preaching a vendetta and have sworn the most solemn oaths to exterminate the Turks concerned in the Tetovo slaughter.

The Hummel Case.

New York, Dec. 19.—It is more than likely that a verdict in the case of Abram H. Hummel on trial accused of conspiracy in obtaining an annullment of the Dodge divorce, and the setting aside of the marriage of former Mrs. Dodge to Charles W. Morse, will be rendered before nightfall. Lawyer Hummel and his counsel held a conference in the courtroom yesterday and as a result it was decided to put in no defense. They took the view that the prosecution had adduced nothing that would warrant refutation, and would rely solely upon the closing argument of Delancy Nicoll, who has charge of the defense.

Explosion of a Locomotive.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 19.—The explosion of a locomotive boiler killed two men and injured one on the Wilmington & Columbia division of the Reading Railway, between Cold Run, and Joanna, at five o'clock this morning. The explosion occurred when the engine, drawing a freight train, bound for Wimington, was ascending a grade near Joanna. The boiler was thrown some distance, and the engineer was found beside it, still grasping a part of the throttle. Engineer Leinbach leaves a family at Birdsboro.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving remembrance of my darling brother, WILLIAM L. HAYES, who died December 19, 1902—three years ago today.

Gone in the best of his days,
Bright in manhood's bloom;
Torn from the hearts that loved him,
Asleep in his silent tomb.

HIS BROTHER.

Entombed in a Tunnel.

New York, Dec. 19.—Half a hundred men are working like trojans this morning in the attempt to rescue a number of men who are entombed in the Pennsylvania tunnel at Long Island City. The exact number of men who are clinging to life in the tunnel is not known. The railroad company officials say there are two, while the police state there are six or eight. To the horror of the situation is added the possibility that the entombed men may be drowned by a rush of water from Newtown creek, when the tide reaches its highest point. That the men were still alive, this morning, was shown by their tapping on the iron pipes which pass through the portion of the tunnel in which they are buried. The entombment of the men is due to a cave-in of a section of the tunnel under the Long Island Railroad yards. It is believed the men are at least fifty feet from the surface. After digging six feet under ground the pipe was disjoined and one of the laborers called down through the pipe. He declared he heard the voices of the imprisoned men calling back a reply, but he could not understand what was said. A cluster of incandescent electric lamps was then lowered into the pipe as a signal of encouragement. Another series of raps on the pipe signified that the flashes from the lamps were seen. A vigorous effort is being made to plug up the sewer at the mouth of Newtown creek.

New York, Dec. 19.—The two men who have been imprisoned since 3 o'clock yesterday morning in the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel in Long Island City were reached today by a diver. He found the men alive, but exhausted. Returning to the top of the tunnel shaft, the diver obtained stimulants and food, which he carried back to the men. Had the men been able to swim they could have been brought out at once but they were too weak to make the attempt. The water was then five feet deep. It was expected that in a few hours the pumps, which have been working continuously since the accident happened, would have lowered the flood sufficiently for the men to be carried out. The divers, five of them, did not dare attempt a rescue until this was done.

New York Politics.

New York, Dec. 19.—One of the most important political moves is this State in many a day was inaugurated when announcement was made that Governor Higgins favored James W. Wadsworth, jr., son of Congressman Wadsworth and son-in-law of the late Secretary Hay for the speakership of the New York Assembly. It was suspected that President Roosevelt was behind the announcement, and this was confirmed at midnight last night when Assemblymen Rogers and Moreland, prominent candidates for the place, withdrew and through Col. George W. Bunn issued this statement: "In view of the repeated declarations of President Roosevelt and other leading republicans that for the welfare of the party it was necessary that there should be a thorough reorganization of the party in this State, which has already begun in New York city, and in view of the excellent character and standing of the candidate for Speaker whom the Governor has suggested, Mr. Rogers and Mr. Moreland withdrew from the race, and announce their cheerful acquiescence in and support of the programme of housecleaning thus inaugurated by President Roosevelt and Governor Higgins." The "housecleaning" meant, in plain words, that President Roosevelt and Governor Higgins lined up against Odell.

Railroad Accidents.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 19.—In a rear-end collision of Baltimore & Ohio freight trains, near Hedesville, W. Va., this morning, fireman F. A. House jumped from his engine in front of a passenger train No. 12, and was instantly killed. Brakeman Giles, of Cumberland, was also killed. Conductor Carter was severely hurt and engineer Hauser, of Cumberland, had an arm broken. Hauser is said to have been asleep and unable to state if the flagman of the other train gave the proper signal. One engine was badly damaged and two cars were derailed.

This morning on the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio, at Cooks Mills, a burst wheel caused a wreck, piling 17 cars in a heap. It is not yet known if any of the crew were killed or injured.

Reign of Anarchy.

Constantinople, Dec. 19.—The reign of anarchy at Batoum and Tiflis continues. At Tiflis the houses of 300 Musselmans have been burned by Armenians and 57 Turkish subjects are known to be dead as the result of the troubles there. The consulate is crowded with refugees who have sought protection there. The government transport Ismir has gone to Batoum to rescue the refugees who have sought safety in the consulate. During the fire in Tiflis armed Armenians prevented occupants from leaving the burning buildings, and fired volleys at the firemen who were trying to drown out the flames.

Tale of Cruelty.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Even boys are not exempt from the brutality of the crimes and captains and mates of the oyster boats in Chesapeake bay. G. H. Mulford, aged 22 years, of No. 165 Plane street, Newark, N. J., went to detective headquarters and told Captain Donaghy he had seen a boy drowned in the Chesapeake bay after the latter had leaped from the deck of an oyster boat to escape the blows of a brutal mate. Mumford says he and another shanghaied youth were put ashore from the pungy J. J. Underhill at Colonial Beach and went from that place to Washington on a steamer.

Trouble in Saxony.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—During the past few weeks semi-revolutionary demonstrations have occurred in the kingdom of Saxony. The demonstrators have demanded radical reforms in the electoral laws of the Saxon Diet and the king has now ordered the cabinet to prepare a reform bill which he urges, should be speedily passed. The conservative press is reproaching the government for this action, and the fear is expressed that that this action is one of the fruits of the revolutionary Russian events.

Death from Fractured Skull.

Easton, Pa., Dec. 19.—Benjamin Parkhurst, of Washington, D. C., who was formerly in the postal service, died in the Easton hospital today from a fractured skull, received in a fight a few days ago. Charles Taylor, one of the accused assailants of Parkhurst, is in jail. Another, Richard Smith, is at large.

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List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice up to December 16, 1905:

Brady, A F	Long, William
Borbulick, Filippo	McWilliams Albert
Bestides, Mary	McCouley, Ella
Burnham, W S	Moore, John
Carter, Amy	McClean, Thomas
Cole, W H	Nanziata, Signor C
Crowly, Lelia	Orlenefi (Rus Theatre)
Clements, Marion	Ostoic, Savi
Dund, Leydia	Oliver, James E
Fletcher, Annie E	Ruth, Dollba
Freeman, W G	Smith, Jack
Guildfield Bap Church	Thorm, S H
Harris, Andrew	Terry, W B
Happer, Douglas	Webster, Carrie G
Hawkins, Daniel F	Williamson, W Von A
Lance, Lee	Wountchfield, John

PACKAGES.

Baptist Chronicle	Mile, J
Daniels, J J	Paus, Mrs
Ennis, Frank	Powers, J T
Ford, Catherine	Roberts, F A
Grall, Addie	Sellers, G S
Hetzel, Rosina	Sarfer, Florence
Kruger, Anna (2)	Taylor Grocery Co
	Yoder, F D

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114 Prince	8 rooms, a. m. i.	15 00
1119 Prince	6 rooms, a. m. i.	13 00
412 N. Patrick	8 rooms, a. m. i.	15 00
1001 Duke	6 rooms, a. m. i.	20 00
1003 Duke	6 rooms, a. m. i.	18 00
1005 Duke	6 rooms, a. m. i.	18 00
132 N. Payne	6 rooms	9 00
1405 King	6 rooms	9 00

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TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 18, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:15 a. m. and sets at 4:41 p. m. High water at 1:26 a. m. and 2:04 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section cloudy and unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight; variable winds

Fined Fifty Cents Each.

Five boys, each about ten years of age, one of whom was colored, were arrested yesterday by Officer Smith at the instance of Mr. A. S. Doniphan, who charged them with disorderly conduct at the corner of King and Columbus streets, he alleging that they were often noisy and committed certain misdemeanors. They were arraigned before Justice Caton this morning when it was charged that the annoyance occasioned by these youngsters was chronic, that they did not attend school, but congregated for the purpose of accosting strangers and offering their services as guides. They also jump on moving electric trains in order to ply their vocation. It was shown that their parents had been notified, but the practice was still kept up. The justice fined them 50 cents each. Two of the youngsters paid the assessments, but the others were held.

Election of Officers.

Perseverance Tent, No. 1908, held a very largely attended meeting last night, and after the transaction of routine business initiated three candidates. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: P. C. R., W. L. Griffin; chief ruler, Jas. B. Hughes; deputy ruler, Mrs. Annie Few; shepherd, Lambert D. Lyles; recording secretary, Walter R. Newlon; financial secretary, Jos. F. Glover; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Hughes; levite, H. K. Henderson; inside guard, Edward Diedrich; outside guard, James E Clift. The appointive officers will be named by the chief ruler and deputy ruler on January 1, at which time the public installation will take place. This will be conducted by D. D High Chief Ruler Clarence Foster.

Citizens' National Bank.

As a modern banking house the Citizens' National Bank of this city can well bear the inspection and criticism of those versed in the needs of such an institution, and its managers may feel well assured that they will be commended for the introduction of all the aids necessary for the comfort of its employees, as well as those of its patrons. Lately in the freize of its handsome doorway has been inscribed its title in attractive gilt letters, "Citizens' National Bank," which can be plainly seen night or day. Above the vault has been placed one of the latest improved clocks with a white marble face and black hands, which is a gift from the bank's president, Mr. E. L. Daingerfield.

A Fusilade.

People living in the neighborhood of the McKinley Industrial School building in the extreme northern part of the city were terrified between six and seven o'clock last night by pistol shots in that vicinity. Nineteen were heard, and the weapons are said to have been discharged by men engaged in railroad work near this city and who are using one of the school buildings as quarters. So far as could be learned no one was injured, as the shooting seems to have been done in a spirit of mischievousness. Many people pass to and fro in that neighborhood early in the night going to or coming from the glass works in the vicinity, and the shooting naturally caused apprehension.

Christmas Shoppers.

Christmas is less than a week off and from now till Saturday night both the shoppers and the merchants will be kept busy buying and selling holiday goods of every description. Many of the merchants have made considerable outlays, and have purchased large and varied stocks of goods in order to please every kind and condition of purchaser, so one must be hard to please who cannot make suitable selections from such stocks. Purchasers will do well to read carefully the advertisements in the Gazette before making their rounds. These advertisements will tell you where to go and frequently suggest suitable gifts, thus saving both time and money.

New Regulations.

By order of Mayor Paff, all wagons for hire will be required to stand on Fairfax street in front of the Market building in future, and not opposite of stores and other places, as heretofore. Should any person want a wagon a telephone message to the station house can secure the same. Mayor Paff has also issued orders that Christmas trees, &c., usually brought to the city at this season must, in future, be displayed either in front of the Market building or within the enclosure, but nothing in this line will be allowed on the street south of Market alley.

Private Policemen.

The monthly meeting of the Police Commissioners will be held tomorrow night. At a recent meeting of the City Council an ordinance was passed allowing merchants a certain number of private officers, provided no cost was to be borne by the city. These officers are to be appointed by the commissioners on the recommendation of the merchants, so if any of the latter want to name private officers they will have an opportunity of so doing at the meeting of the commissioners tomorrow night.

Theft of Harness.

C. S. Beach, a veterinary surgeon, reported to the station house last night that James Corbin, colored, had stolen a set of harness belonging to the complainant, valued at $10, and sold it to a second-hand dealer for $1. Officer Roberts a few hours later recovered the harness and arrested Corbin. He was arranged in the Police Court this morning and in his defense said he mistook the harness for a set which belonged to him. Corbin was fined $10.

Personal.

Mr. George Emmert is sick with pneumonia at his home in the western portion of this city.

Mr. Charles M. Cuvillier, who has been in Panama on the canal work for the past year or more, has returned in good health and tells many interesting tales of what is going on in the "zone."

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

A white man, arrested by Officer Henderson charged with improper conduct, was dismissed.

Luther Robinson, colored, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with assaulting and beating Jennie Johnson, also colored, was fined $10. The latter was fined $5 for improper conduct.

Four white and one colored boy, arrested by Officer Smith charged with disorderly conduct, were fined 50 cents each.

Samuel Dudley and Isaiah Parker, both colored, suspected of robbing Ernest Crump's store, had their case continued until next Saturday.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Com. vs. Henry Daniels, indicted for maliciously and feloniously shooting, &c.; jury and verdict of unlawful, but not malicious, shooting &c., and penalty fixed at one year in the penitentiary. The defendant was represented by Machen & Moncure. It is understood that the Commonwealth had agreed to a jail sentence of one year, but the prisoner declined this and said he would rather go to the penitentiary where he hoped to be cured of the cigarette and cocaine habits.

Attempted Hold-up.

Early last night while Mr. William West, ticket agent of the Washington-Southern Railway, was on his way to the the union depot he was accosted by two men at the railroad culvert who ordered him to halt. At this command Mr. West drew a pistol and discharged five shots at the men who ran and were soon out of sight. Mr. West, it will be remembered, had a similar experience with negro footpads near the same place several weeks ago.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Many Christmas trees were exposed for sale in market this morning.

Mr. R. D. Rodgers will preach at the Village Chapel tonight. This will be the last meeting until after the holidays.

It is learned that the government is contemplating the purchase of St. Asaph in Alexandria county and making that property a permanent government quartermaster's depot.

Mrs Carrie P. George (nee Cowne), aged twenty-one years, wife of William E. George, died at her home in Washington Saturday. Her remains were brought here today for interment.

At St. Mary's Catholic Church Sunday afternoon the new male choir sang vespers for the first time. They were assisted by a delegation from Trinity Church choir, of Georgetown.

The Lady Maccabees will meet tonight. Mrs. Amy Weech, who was the represent tive at the meeting of the State body in Norfolk, will be present and read her report.

Homer Wills and George Mertz were seriously cut in a fight in a Rosslyn saloon Sunday night. Both men are now in the Georgetown Hospital.

Information of a child's collarette fastened with small pin, which was found on the street, will be given on application at this office.

Messrs. L. Shuman & Son have received from Florida their first shipment of strawberries for Ice Cream.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausage, C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

Russian Affairs.

Should the revolutionists interfere with the removal of German subjects to the German ships sent to the Baltic to rescue them, serious complications may result. The action of the German government in sending ships to Russian Baltic ports to take away German subjects has caused reports that the Emperor may take a further hand in Russian affairs.

It is reported that the German government has other measures under consideration in connection with the Russian situation.

The Workmen's General Council has ordered a general strike to begin tomorrow, providing the railroad men agree to it.

The Russian Crown jewels have been sent abroad for safety.

Two army corps are being concentrated to suppress the revolt in the Baltic provinces, where 60,000 Letts are under arms.

Troops at Riga are in revolt and the town is reported burning.

On account of the situation at Moscow, Ambassador Meyer has requested the authorities to place at the disposal of the American Consul there protection for Americans in case of an emergency.

Senator Dolliver, after a conference with the President last night at which the attorney General was present, today introduced a railroad rate regulation bill which has received the approval of the administration. Taking the bill proposed by the Interstate Commerce Commission as a basis the Iowa Senator greatly simplifies that measure.

The Market.

Georgetown, Dec. 19.—Wheat 65.@81.

No Secret About it.

It is no secret, that for Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Sore Eyes, Boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "It didn't take long to cure a bad sore I had, and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Hope, Tex. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Must Be Quick.

Pains in the stomach and attacks of the colic come on so suddenly and are so extremely painful that immediate relief must be obtained. There is no necessity of sending for a doctor in such cases if a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is at hand. No doctor can prescribe a better medicine. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Season of Indigestion.

The season of indigestion is upon us. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for Indigestion and Dyspepsia will do everything for the stomach that an over-loaded or over worked stomach cannot do for itself. Kodol digests what you eat—gives the stomach a rest—relieves sour stomach, belching, heart-burn, indigestion, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

WANTED.—A competent colored man as WAITER. Apply at HOTEL FLEISCHMANN.
dec19 3t

FOR RENT.—First floor 116 south Patrick street, 5 rooms and bath. Inquire at 102 south Alfred street. dec19 eo 3t*

FURNISHED ROOM with heat and light; good location; $2 per week. Address "R," this office. dec19 3t

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SAVINGS MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Alexandria, Va., will be held at their office, 119 south Fairfax street, on WEDNESDAY, January 3, 1906.
M. B. HARLOW, President.
E. J. FLEMING, Secretary. dec19 td

FINANCIAL

The Average Person

when contemplating depositing their savings in a bank want to place it where it will draw interest and be absolutely safe This corporation pays a liberal interest on deposits in its Savings Department, making it a desirable depository from an economic viewpoint for the accounts of those especially who are not engaged in commercial life, but who have an income or who are employed on a salary—PERSONS who work for wages or on a salary, the capitalist, the professional man and the married woman who has a separate estate; the business man who wishes to separate his private income or the surplus profits of his business from his general capital; the corporation, public or private, that is accumulating a sinking fund, or any individual who is making provisions for paying a debt. The deposits of these classes receive interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum. We invite you to call and talk this matter over with our officials.

Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Capital Paid In, $225,000.
Authorized Capital, $1,000,000.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S.
Cor. Pitt and King Sts.
Open Evenings Until Christmas.

SPECIALS.

Coupon. This coupon and $2.50 buys an Archarena Game Board worth $3.50.

Coupon. This coupon and $8 buys a $12 Hobby Horse.

Coupon. This coupon and $1 buys a Coaster Wagon. Regular price, $2.

Coupon. This coupon and $2 buys the Irish Mail, a muscle developer, worth $3.50.

Coupon. This coupon and $4.98 buys a Jardinere and Pedestal worth $5.98.

Coupon. This coupon and 15c buys Ring Wrong, a 25c game.

Candy For Christmas.
2,000 lbs. just received. All fresh and guaranteed pure.
10c Per Pound.

Coupon. This coupon and $5.98 buys a Hobby Horse worth $7.98.

Coupon. This coupon and $4.98 buys a Hobby Horse worth $5.98.

Coupon. This coupon and $1 buys a High Chair worth $1.50.

Coupon. This coupon and $2.50 buys a Flexible Flyer. Regular price $3.50.

Coupon. This coupon when presented allows you a discount of 10 per cent. on any framed picture.

Coupon. This coupon when presented allows you a discount of 10 per cent. on Cut Glass.

Elliott's,
428-430 King Street.

Merry Christmas
We have the things to make you merry.
Kodaks for the Young and Old.
Handsome Box Papers.
A Large Assortment of Games and Picture Books for the Children, Cheap.
CHRISTMAS CARDS and BOOKLETS.
R. L. Carne & Co.,
703 King Street.
BELL PHONE 302-J.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY for the election of directors will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 3:15 p. m.
H. P. GILBERT, President.
J. C. PRATT, Secretary.
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LOST.—On Sunday between the corner of Prince and Alfred streets and St Mary's Church. A SCARF PIN in the shape of a cross, set with garnets and pearls. The finder will receive a suitable reward if returned to No. 818 Prince street.
dec18 3t

FOR RENT.—8-room COTTAGE with porch all around; hedge fence; fruit trees and out-buildings. Situated on Mount Vernon avenue, near Del Ray electric railroad station. Apply to A. S. DONIPHAN, 727 King street. dec16 3t

A Full Line of fresh candies, nuts and fine groceries generally for Christmas, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE MALAGA GRAPES 15c a pound at J. C. MILBURN.

ROSENFELD'S
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
From Now Until Christmas
Anyone who will mention the Gazette will receive 10 per cent. discount on all Christmas goods.
All goods marked in plain figures.
Agents For Dr. Jaeger's Underwear.
ROSENFELD'S.
518-20 King St., Alexandria, Va

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE.

Desirable three-story Brick Dwelling No. 1318 King street. Newly papered and painted. Large side lot.

Frame Dwelling 128 south Henry street.

Frame Dwelling 340 Commerce street (a 10 per cent. investment)

Frame Dwelling 522 Queen street, containing 6 rooms and all modern conveniences. Rents for $12.50 per month.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE
Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg.,
N. E. Cor. King and Royal Streets.
Bell 'Phone 224. Capital City 'Phone 124.

GROCERIES.
Ramsay Sells the Best
RAMSAY'S CANDY.

180 lbs at 6c,
300 " " 8c.
925 " " 10c.
425 " " 12½c.
325 " " 15c.
300 " " 20c.
250 " " 25c.
135 " " 30c and 35c.

Largest and Cheapest Stock in Town.
2750 lbs.
NUTS.

Princess Paper Shell Almonds.
Terragona Almonds.
Mayette Walnuts.
Jumbo Pecans.
Large Sicily Filberts.
Jumbo Palm Nuts, good.

Good Mixed Nuts, 12½c
Best Mixed Nuts, 15c
G. Wm. Ramsay.

25 Boxes Imported Cluster Raisins.
G. Wm. Ramsay.

1000 Pounds LARGE SOFT FIGS.
Cheap.
G. Wm. Ramsay.

GROCERIES.

A CHRISTMAS TIP!!

Prior to the coming of Christmas, we offer housewives chances to save in buying the requisites for the feast.

Here are some items with which to promote good cheer on Christmas:

Turkeys, Chickens, Candies, Nuts, Cluster Raisins, Sweet Cider, Figs, Mincemeat and Cranberries.

Souvenirs for every one.

Toilet Soap, 1c per cake, 5c Toilet Soap 35c per dozen.

P. PULMAN & CO.
N. E. Cor. Duke and Alfred Sts.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

SPECIAL SALE OF DOLLS.

Positively from now until Wednesday there will be a SPECIAL SALE OF DOLL BABIES.

Dolls That Were $1, Now 85c.
Dolls That Were 75c, Now 50c.
Dolls That Were 50c, Now 35c.
Other toys equally as cheap.

R. E. KNIGHT.
621, 623, 625 KING STREET.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY
OPEN EVENINGS.
GIVABLE THINGS.

DIAMONDS,
Pure and Flawless.
$25 and up.

WATCHES
That are reliable. Acton Precision,
$15 and up.

UMBELLAS
of the finest silk, natural wood, silver and gold handles.
$5 and up.

TOILET SETS,
Sterling Silver, cased.
$10 and up.

SIGNET RINGS, GOLD,
$1.50 and up.

We cordially invite you to examine our entire stock of useful, beautiful and givable articles that are very moderately priced.

R. C. Acton & Sons
Jewelers and Silversmiths.

C. A. SHAFFER & CO.
Wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that they are ready to receive XMAS ORDERS FOR CUT FLOWERS AND POTTED PLANTS.
Our goods are always fresh and prompt delivery. Stall No. 2, Royal street wing of the market. Telephone 176 at greenhouses. dec14 1w*

FOR SALE.—10 fresh cows and springers just received from country. Apply too JAS. M. RILEY.
dec18 3t*

Fine Watches For Christmas.

OUR Watches are always guaranteed to be free from any defects in material or construction. When quality is considered, our prices are invariably the lowest.
Do you want THE BEST?

Open Every Night Until Christmas.

GALT & BRO.,
Established Over a Century,
Jewellers, Silversmiths, Stationers,
1107 Pennsylvania Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

Open December Nights.

Kaufmann Bros.

Christmas Wares.

OUR STORES ARE BUSY.
CHOICE GOODS. . . . .
PRICES THAT ARE RIGHT.

Xmas Neckwear, 25c and 50c.
Xmas Dress Kid Gloves, $1 and $1.50.
Xmas Handkerchiefs, 5c to 25c.
Xmas Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c to 50c.
Xmas Silk and Satin Mufflers, 50c to $1.25.
Xmas Silk Suspenders, 25c to $1.
Xmas Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins and Studs, 25c and 50c.
Xmas Warm Golf Gloves, 25c and 50c
Xmas Safety Razors, $1.
Xmas Soft Shirts, 50c to $1.50.
Manhattan Shirts, $1.50 and $2.
Monarch Shirts, $1.
White Stiff Shirts, 50c and 75c.
Pajamas, $1 and $1.50.
Outing Flannel Night Shirts, 50c and $1.
Sweaters, Boys' and Men, 50c to $3.50.
Knit Jackets, $1 to $5.
Umbrellas, $1 to $2.50.
Arrow Collars, 2 for 25c.
Arrow Cuffs, 25c.
Spargle Cuffs, 2 pair for 25c.
Suit Cases, $1 to $7.
Trunks, $1.50 to $15.
Ladies' Hosiery, 10c to 25c.
Men's Hosiery, 10c to 50c a pair.
Men's Garters, 10c to 25c.
Ladies' Garters, 25c and 50c.
Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c to 25c.
Fancy Cases of all kinds.
Comb and Brush Sets,
Shaving and Smoking Sets,
Toilet and Manicure Sets, 50c to $8.98.

K. B. CLOTHING.
Suits for Youths and Men $4.98 to $20.
Suits for Boys, $1.49 to $5.
Overcoats and Rain Coats.
Trousers, 50c to $5.

KAUFMANN BROS.
402 and 405 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

GIFT-GIVING IS THE THEME.

Gloves That Are Worthy to Be Given.
Any Glove you buy here you can present with perfect confidence. We are the exclusive agents for Mayer, Centimeri, and other well-known makes. We are featuring a line of Gloves at $1—better than dollar Gloves, but priced at a dollar.

Handkerchiefs That Are Extra Values.
Priced under-price. Prices start at 5c and advance by easy stages to 75c—every one in the lot worth 25 per cent more.

Superb Collection of Furs.
Neckpieces and Muffs make acceptable holiday gifts, and we offer them at prices fully 1-3 less than the furrier would charge you.

Table Linens.
New Lines of the best weaves and most desirable kind.
We have especially prepared for holiday shoppers, and offer attractive prices in Table Wear and Towels.
35c Bleached Table Damask, 62 inches wide; per yard.....25c
62-inch, all linen, Table Damask, 65c quality; per yard.....50c
90c Bleached Table Damask.....75c
72-inch Bleached Table Damask, $1.35 grade, very fine, per yard...$1.10
$2.25 quality Bleached Table Damask special, per yard.....$1.75
Napkins to match, 75c to $5 per doz.

Extra Values in Towels.
Heavy union line Huck Towels at 10c, 15c and 20c.
Extra weight and size in Turkish Bath Towels, worth 35c for 25c, $2.85 per dozen.

Trunk and Suit Cases.
A most suitable gift, and we are showing them in a number of styles. They are most reasonably priced, $1 to $25.

Art Squares and Rugs.
The goods are all of the highest grade, of the most reliable makes.
18-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs....68c
21-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs.....98c
24-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs....$1.38
30-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs....$1.88
36-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs...$2.48
4x7 feet Rugs.....$3.98
9x14, all wool Ingrain, Art Square, $9
9x12, Axminster, Art Square.....$23.50
9x12, Smyrna, Art Square.....$19.75

A Few Suggestions for Gifts from this Holiday Stock.
Fancy Dresden China Ware, Pictures, Picture Frames, Art Figures, Gold Plated Novelties neatly boxed, Dress Patterns, Hosiery, Hats, Umbrellas, Neckwear and Fancy Suspenders, neatly boxed. And fancy articles too numerous to mention.

The Goodloe Co.,
Cor. King and Pitt Sts., Alexandria, Va.

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 18, 1905.

Jealous of Wife.

Easton, Pa., Dec. 19.—Her features bruised and swollen almost beyond recognition, one ear crushed, long gashes in her limbs and arms, a physical wreck for life, and on the verge of nervous prostration, Mrs. Edward C. Bruce, who alleges she was brutally attacked last week by her husband, a quarter-breed Indian, managed to tell the story of the inhuman treatment accorded her.

The attack occurred last week, and Bruce is now in the county jail, held without bail, awaiting the action of the grand jury.

Mrs. Bruce was a strikingly handsome woman before the attack. She is a decided brunette, a member of a prominent family, and was reared in culture.

Her voice faltered as she told the story of the attack.

"Almost from the first," said Mrs. Bruce, "he ill-treated me. Few were the days I had no black eyes caused by his cruel fists. He would not allow me to go out of his sight. He was jealous all the while. If our pet dog or cat would come up to me before going to him, he would frequently hit me.

"In one of those spells he killed the cat and burned it in the cellar furnace.

"There,' he said, 'when I get tired of you, you will follow the same fate. People will think you ran away from me.'

"He had a fad for photography, and took delight in taking pictures of me. If I did not wish to pose as he wanted he mould beat me unmercifully.

"The climax came Tuesday. For fear I'd go away during his absence, he tied my wrists and suspended me by a hook. My feet barely touched the floor, and the harder I pulled at my wrists the tighter became the rope.

"He left me that way for two hours. When he returned I begged to be freed. He untied me, but worse followed.

"With a stout rope he bound my hands and feet and laid me on the floor.

Several times he jumped on me with both feet. Then he kicked me on the head and pounded me with the butt end of a revolver. I was afraid every second he would shoot me.

With a penknife he cut gashes in my limbs and burned me on the hips with a hot sad iron. Not satisfied, he took a stout strap and with the buckle end whipped me.

"Then he chocked me until I was unconscious and left the house, leaving me half dead."

Mrs. Bruce met Bruce about seven years ago. They were married in March.

Bruce is the grandson of John Gould, a farmer and lumberman of Coupeville, Washington. The later was worth about $80,000, and by the provisions of his will $20,000 went to Bruce. Ex-Mayor Howard Hartzell, of this city, is his guardian.

District Attorney Stotz refused to liberate Bruce on any amount of bail. Talk of lynching is rife if Bruce would come out of jail on bail.

Made "Hugger" go Naked.

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 19.—Unusual punishment was meted out Sunday evening to "Jack the Hugger," who has been creating a reign of terror among the women of Gordon for several weeks. A stalwart young man dressed in women's clothes, while others waited in ambush, invited the attention of the hugger, who was promptly nabbed when he attempted to embrace the supposed woman. He was identified as a prominent young man of the town, and as a punishment he was stripped of his clothes and compelled to walk home almost naked.

Deer and Moose.

Bangor, Me., Dec. 16.—The big hunting season in Maine, which closed at midnight, last night, has been the best since the remarkable record made in 1902. There were shipped through Bangor 4657 deer, 215 moose and 40 bears, an increase of 423 deer over 1904, while the number of moose is the same. It is estimated that more than 1700 licenses were sold this season, netting nearly $30,000, for the furtherance of game protection. Seven fatal shootings have occurred fewer than last year.

Shot in the Back.

W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., was shot in the back, hourly, day and night, for full three months; by the shooting, tearing and racking pains of Kidney Inflammation. He writes: "I used three bottles of Electric Bitters, and know that they have permanently cured me, for I feel like a new man. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all sufferers from kidney trouble." It's just as sure to relieve and cure malaria and all stomach and liver complaints, general debility and female weaknesses. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggist; price 50c.

When you want a pleasant laxative take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For Sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Only a little cold in the head may be the beginning of an obstinate case of Nasal Catarrh. Drive out the invader with Ely's Cream Balm applied straight to the inflamed stuffed up air-passages. Price 50c. If you prefer to use an atomizer, ask for Liquid Cream Balm. It has all the good qualities of the remedy in solid form and will rid you of catarrh or hay fever. No cocaine to breed a dreadful habit. No mercury to dry out the secretion. Price 75c, with spraying tube. All druggists, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

Give Your Stomach Rest.

Nothing will cure indigestion that doesn't digest the food, itself, and give the stomach rest. You can't expect that a weak stomach will regain its strength and get well when it is compelled to do the full work that a sound stomach should do. You wouldn't expect a sick horse to get well when it is compelled to do a full day's work every day of the week. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant and digests the food regardless of the condition of your stomach. Relieves Indigestion, Belching, Sour Stomach, and all stomach disorders. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

A Liquid Cold Cure.

Croup, Coughs, Colds, Whooping-Cough, etc., have no terrors for children or adults who evacuate the bowels with Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar—the Original Laxative Cough Syrup and Liquid Cold Cure. This remedy expels all cold from the system and strengthens the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes. The mother's favorite and children's safeguard. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

CODFISH.—New Boneless and Shreaded Codfish just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Lung Warmth Means Health

A Chilly Feeling in the Lungs is Dangerous—How Pneumonia is Cured

"That medicine makes me feel warm right there," said the boy, tapping his chest. His mother had just rubbed Gowan's Pneumonia Cure over his chest, covering it with a bit of flannel. The powerful remedy passes quickly through the skin and gets to its work of healing and stimulating the lungs. The comforting glow of healthful lung action had come back to the boy.

Healthy lungs are warm with their own busy life. A chill at your lungs means danger. A cold nearly always attacks the lungs.

Protect them. Help them resist the threatening pneumonia and consumption, and at the same time cure your cold. Do it by the natural, harmless method.

Rub Gowan's Pneumonia Cure over your chest. If the throat is sore, rub that also. Cover with flannel cloth. Do this at night. Next morning your cold or sore throat will be cured.

Gowan's positively *cures* pneumonia—has cured cases that well-known physicians had "given up." It cures in one night a cough, cold, sore throat, croup—any of the many ills that come from colds. Because it penetrates, gets to the seat of the trouble, allays fever, soothes, heals, stimulates, makes perfect health. Powerful but harmless. The ideal external remedy.

READ "A FRIEND'S" LETTER

"I have used Gowan's Pneumonia Cure with signal success, so that we always keep a box on hand for any emergency. I am convinced that one vigorous treatment saved me from pneumonia last winter, and I shall always be its very grateful friend.

"MRS. ROBERT L. THOMPSON,
"Raleigh, N. C."

All druggists sell Gowan's Pneumonia Cure. Regular bottles, $1.00. Croup size—enough for ordinary cold or sore throat—25 cents. Sent by mail, if you wish, on receipt of price. Gowan Medical Co., Durham, N. C.

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Oyster Season

Is Now Open At

RAMMEL'S RESTAURANT.

Oysters in All Styles. New York Rockaways on Half Shell.
Family Orders Will Receive Prompt Attention.
Capital City 'Phone 63. Bell 'Phone 169B.

MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Company will be held at No. 212 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, December 20, 1905, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

R. D. LANKFORD, Secretary.
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—NOTICE—The initial meeting of the stockholders of the MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETY, of Washington, D. C., (Incorporated) will be held at the office of the society, No. 117 north Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, on THURSDAY, December 28, 1905, at 2 p. m.

WILL E. BURCAFILD,
dec16 td Secretary and Treasurer.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the AMERICAN RUTILE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, the first day of January, 1906, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered. The transfer books will be closed for ten days prior to the first day of January, 1906.

W. M. SLATER, President.
SHERWOOD WILSON, Sec. and Treas.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GEORGE W. KNOX EXPRESS COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 10 o'clock a. m. on THURSDAY, January, 4, 1906. M. K. LINN.
dec15 td Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GRAND OPERA HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 12, 1905.

The annual election of directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock p. m.

C. R. HOOFF, President.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 14, 1905.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 12 m.

dec14lawtd W. F. LAMBERT, Cashier.

Alexandria, Va., December 5, 1905.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK of Alexandria, Virginia, will be held in the office of the said bank on TUESDAY, January 9th, between the hours of one and three o'clock, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the stockholders.

dec12 td T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

THE stockholders of the WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Washington, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said association will be held at the principal office of the association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at eleven o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1906. By order of the board of directors.

J. C. STODDARD, Secretary.
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Ladies' Fur Muffs $3.50, $4 50, $6.50, $8.50, $15 and.....$19.50
Children's Fur Sets, Scarf and Muff, each 98c, $1.50, $2.49, $3.25, $4.50, $6.50 and.....$8.00
Ladies' Fine Umbrellas, each $1.00, $1 50, $2.00, $2.5C, $3.50, $5, $6.50 and $10.00
One lot Fine Dolls, slightly soiled, at greatly reduced prices, each 98c, $1.19, $1,39 to.....$5.00
New Fancy Silks for ladies' dresses and waists, yard.....75c
Fine White Bed Spreads, each 75c, $1, $1,50, $2, $2.50, $3.50, and.....$4.50
Wool Shawls, all colors, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, and.....$2.50
New White Lawn Shirt Waists, each $1 and.....$1.50
New Black Silk Waists, each $3.49 and.....$4.50
New White Silk Waists $4.50 and.....$6.50
Elderdown Dressing Sacques, each $1, $1.50 and.....$2.50
Ladies' Fine White Aprons, each 25c and.....50c
Damask Table Cloths, red and green, each 59c, 65c, 75c, 89c, $1.39 and.....$1.75
Fine Table Linen, yard 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and.....$1.50
Fine Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen 75c, $1, $1.50, $2.25, $2.50, $3.50 and.....$4.50
Fine Fringed Napkins, dozen 50c, 60c, 75c, $1 $1.25 and.....$1.50
Fine Towels, each 12½c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Tapestry Table Covers, each 50c, 98c, $1.39, $1.98 and.....$2.25
Ladies' Outing Night Robes, each 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Ladies' Outing Underskirts, each 25c 49c and.....65c
Ladies' Knit Underskirts, each 25c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Ladies' Wool Skirt Patterns, each 75, and.....$1.00
Large Assortment of Fine Japanese China, many odd articles, from 25c up to.....$5.00
Ladies' Leather Hand Bags 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $3.50 and...$4.50
Ladies' Leather Pocketbooks 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, and.....$1.50
Ladies' Plain and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, each 5c, 10c, 12½c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50 and.....$1.98
Children's Handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, each 15c and.....25c
Fancy Pin Cushions 25c, 35c, 65c and 75c
Fancy Waste Paper Baskets $1 and...$1.25
Ladies' Fancy Collars one in box 25c, 35, 50, 69, 75c, $1 $1.25, $1.50, $1.98 and...$2.50
Ladies' Fancy Silk Opera Bags, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $1.98, and.....$2.50
Ladies' Fancy Jewelry Boxes, each $1.25 and.....$3.50
Writing Paper in Fancy Boxes, each 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 98c and.....$1.25
Plush Lap Robes $1.50, $2 50, $3.50 $5, $5.50 and.....$10 00

Ladies' Kid Gloves, guaranteed, in fancy box, pair $1 and.....$1.50
Misses' Kid Gloves, guaranteed, pair $1.00
Boys' Kid Gloves, guaranteed, pair... $1.00
Fancy Empty Boxes for presents, each 5c and.....10c
Ladies' Black Silk Hose, in fancy box.....$1 50
Ladies' Long and Short Coats, each $5, $6.50, $8 50, $10, $12.50, $15 and.....$16 50
Children's Long and Short Coats, each, $1.98, $3 98, $4.50, $5, $6 50 and...$7.50
Fine Wool Blankets, pair $3.50, $3.98, $4 50, $5, $6, $8 and.....$10.00
Fine Comforts, each $1 50, $2, $2 25, $3.25, $3.98, $4 50, $5 and.....$6.50
Ladies' Garters in fancy boxes, pair 25c and.....50c
Ladies' Rain Coats, $5, $8.50 and.....$10.00
Whisk Brooms, each.....25c
Gold Thimbles.....$2.98
Sterling Silver Thimbles, 25c and.....50c
Children's Knit Sacques, each 25c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Children's Knit Booties, each 10c, 15c, 25c and.....35c
Children's Knit Golf Caps, each 25c and.....50c
Children's Sweaters, each 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50 and.....$2.00
Children's Tam o' Shanta Hats, each 50c
Ladies' Golf Sweaters, each $1.50, $1.98, $2.25 and.....$3.25
Applique Scarfs, each 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1.50
Applique Shams, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1.50
Children's Small Shoes, each 25c and 50c
Linen Dinner Sets, Cloth and dozen Napkins to match, each $2 98 and.....$4.98
Fancy Linen Table Cloths, each.....$1.25
White Linen Table Cloths, each $1.98 and.....$2.19
Gentlemen's Smoking Sets, each $1.25, $1.98, $2.49, $3 49 and.....$4.50
Men's Shaving Sets, each $1.50, $1.98 and.....$4.50
Men's Military Brushes, 75c, $1.75, $2.49 and.....$3.25
Fancy Glove Boxes, each, 35c, 69c, 75c and.....98c
Fancy Handkerchief Boxes.....75c
Fancy Neck Beads in box, 25c and.....50c
Neck Beads in fancy boxes, each 49c and.....69c
Combs and Brushes in box, each 35c and.....75c
Ladies' Dressing Sets, consisting of comb, brush and mirror; nicely boxed, each $1 50, $2.98, $3.98, $4.50, $6.50, $8.50, $10 and.....$12 50
Misses Dressing Sets, comb and brush, each.....98c
Misses' Dressing Sets, comb, brush and mirror, each $1.98 and.....$3.50
Fancy Pin Trays, each 25c and.....35c
Fancy Puff Boxes, each 25c, 69c and..75c
Ladies' Plaited Hand Mirrors, each 98c, $1.49, $1.98 and.....$4.50
Children's Leggings, pair 25c 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1 25

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The largest variety in town to choose from at the lowest prices.

Men's Latest Neck Ties, all shapes, 25c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Men's Kid Gloves, Adler's and Fowne's, guaranteed, pair $1 and.....$1.50
Men's Suspenders, in fancy boxes, pair 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1.50
Men's Umbrellas, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, $3.50, $4.50, $5, $6 and.....$7.50
Men's Silk Mufflers, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $1.98 and.....$2.50
Brighton Garters, in fancy boxes, pair.....25c
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, six in box, each 75c and.....$1.50
Men's Plain White Handkerchiefs, each 5c, 10c, 12½c, 25c, 35c and.....50c
Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, each 25c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Men's Combination Sets, Suspenders, Garters and Arm Bands, complete in fancy box, 50c and.....$1.00
Men's Fancy Hosiery, pair 12½c, 25c and.....50c
Men's Black and Tan Hosiery, pair 12½c, 25c and.....50c
Men's Bath Robes, each $2 98, $3.50, $3.98, $5 and.....$6.50
Men's Muslin Night Robes, each 50c and.....75c
Men's Outing Night Robes, each 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Men's Outing Pajamas Suit, $1 and.....$1.50
Men's Wool Sweaters, each $1, $1.50, $1 98, $2 50, $3.50 and.....$4 50
Men's Pocket Books and Card Cases, each 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1.50
Men's Suit Cases, each 98c, $1.25, $1.49, $2.49, $3.50, $4.50, $5, $6, $7.50 and.....$8 00
Men's Cardigan Jackets, each $1, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $2.98 and.....$3.50
Men's Fancy Vests, each $1.75, $2, $2.50 and.....$3.50
Men's Link Cuff Buttons, pair 25c, 50c, 75c and.....$1.00
Men's New Scarf Pins, each 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and.....$1.50
Men's Wool Gloves, pair 25c and.....50c
Men's Fur Gauntlets, pair $1, $1.50, $2 and.....$2.50
Men's Linen Collars, dozen.....$1 50
Monarch Dress Shirts, each.....$1.00
Manhattan Dress Shirts, each $1.50 and.....$2.00
Men's Dress Protectors, $1 and.....$1.50
Men's White and Black Kid Gloves, pair.....$1.50
Men's Warm Underwear, each 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50 and.....$2.50

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Suggestions for Christmas.

The present that affords the most

Real Pleasure.

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In making our purchases for Christmas we have carefully avoided what was merely for show, but we can offer for inspection the most complete line of goods combining beauty with usefulness, that can be found anywhere.

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Our 50c Ties are as pretty as can be found at a much higher price. Our 25c Goods are proportionately good.

Suspender—Armband—Hose Support-Sets in pretty boxes with transparent tops, per set, 50c.

Handkerchiefs.

Embroidered 5c, 10c, 12½c to 25c each.

Plain, Pure Linen, for ladies, ¼ and ½ inch hem at 12½c to 25c.

Plain, Pure Linen, for gentlemen, ½ inch hem, at 12½c to 25c.

These goods are direct from the importer and are exceptionally good.

Handkerchiefs for both ladies and gentlemen, 5c and 10c.

Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c and 50c.

SILK MUFFLERS, 50c, 75c $1.00, $1.25, $1.39 to $1.50 each.

Gloves.

Ladies' special value, warranted Kid Gloves, at $1.00 to $1.25.

Gentlemen's Dress Gloves, at $1.00 and $1.50.

Umbrellas.

Handsome Silver and Composition Handles, Good Quality Covers, for ladies, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 to $2.25 each.

Handsome line for gentlemen, Plain Box and Fir Handles, latest shapes and Good Quality Covers, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 to $2.00 and $2.25.

Pretty line for children, Fancy Animal and Bird Head Handles, at 75c each.

Table Damask, at 25c, 50c, 75c to $1.00 per yard.

Towels, Napkins, Table Covers, Bureau Scarfs, Tray Covers, &c.

Aprons, 10c, to 25c each.

Nurses' Aprons, nicely made, at 39c each.

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Whisky from $1 50 to $8 gallon,
Catawba Wine from 75c to $1.50 gallon,
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Alexandria, Va., Dec. 4, 1905.

To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on JANUARY 1, 1906. Interest on said bonds will cease January 1, 1906.

Nos. 14, 44, 70, 90 106, 126, 153, 178, 215, 202, 242, for $1,000 each—$11,000
Nos. 259, 286, 305, 337, 348, 363, 372, 381, 390, 403, 462, 568, 654, 685, 688, 700, 705, 708, 730, for $500 each—$9,500
Nos. 772, 778, for $100 each—$200.

JOHN W. BURKE,
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CHAS. R. HOOFF, PRESIDENT. | THOS. W. WHITE CASHIER.

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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective December 1, 1905.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonbu Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11.32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South western Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

H. B. SPENCER, General Manager.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Nov. 26, 1905.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 51 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 51 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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Gen. Man. Ass't Gen. Man. Traf. Man.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 0x, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 46, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

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Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3